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WAGE BOARD OVERRULED ON SEA PAY

PAC HECKLES WALLACE FOR RUSS SHAFTS

Criticism of Soviet Greeted by Boos – Pepper Blasts Applauded

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—Secretary of Commerce Henry A. Wallace, was interrupted by booing and heckling in White House-approved speech at a Madison Square Garden rally last night where Senator Claude Pepper (D-Fla) was applauded for attacking our 'blundering foreign policy."

The two men, who have been on the same side in many foreign and domestic issues, spoke before an audience of 19,000 at a rally sponsored by the National Citizens Political Action Committee and the Independent Citizens Committee of the Arts, Sciences and Professions.

Wallace, who said the United States must adopt a clear and realistic policy of its own to avoid another war, first was greeted by hisses and hoots when he said he was "neither anti-British nor pro-British, neither anti-Russian nor pro-Russian," and added:

Truman's Policy Too

"Just two days ago, when President Truman read these words, he said they represented the policy of his administration."

Another round of heckling broke out when Wallace, speaking of Russia said, "her type of land reform, industrial expropriation and suppression of basic liberties offend the great majority of the people of the United States."

At this point Wallace laid aside his text and declared: "Well, it's true outside New York City, as any gallup poll will show."

He said British "imperialistic policy" in the Near East together with Soviet retaliation would lead the

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Last Rites for Four Victims of Plane Crash Held Today

SEATTLE, Sept. 13.—Bodies of three victims of the Alaska plane crash last Sunday were scheduled to be flown to Seattle and Bellingham today for burial.

The bodies off Capt. and Mrs. Marvin L. Pratt will be taken to Bellingham, while Lee Chesterfield, Jr., will be buried in Seattle.

Graveside services will be held in Anchorage for John Campbell, fourth victim of the crash five miles north of Nome.

The Washington Merry-Go-Round

By DREW PEARSON

WASHINGTON—It is no accident that the AFL, not the CIO, is in the strike headlines today.

In the first place, CIO chief Phil Murray held a secret meeting with his cohorts recently in which it was decided to postpone all major strikes for the time being. In the second place, certain AFL leaders (though not the majority) are not averse to a little labor trouble right now in order to defeat the Democrats at the polls in November.

John L. Lewis is the leader of this group, with George Meany and Matt Woll tagging along behind. They are playing close to the Republicans.

Embarrassment of the Truman Administration was behind Lewis' telegram to striking maritime leader Harry Lundeberg, offering United Mine Workers' cash to support AFL sailors. With Congress in recess, many AFL leaders also feel there is no danger of reviving the Case Bill or passing other restrictive labor legislation. Incidentally it used to be the other way round; namely that labor wanted Congress in session to keep a weather eye on big business. Now strikes have a better chance with Congress out of session.

CIO leaders have just the oppo-

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Lucky Strike President Is Dead; Spent Millions Advertising Cigarette

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—George Washington Hill, 61, who rose from a $5-a-week helper in his father's tobacco firm to President of the American Tobacco Company, died today at his fishing camp in Matapedia, Quebec Province, Canada.

Announcement of his death was made here by the Company. He had been ill for a short time but the cause of death was not announced.

Hill, whose company popularized Lucky Strike cigarettes, made the tobacco business his life work and rose to become one of the highest paid corporation executives in the nation, averaging more than $400,000 annually for years as President.

He earned $5 a week when he joined the company at the age of 20 and once disclosed that his salary and bonuses netted him $6,500,000 between 1926, when he became President of the firm, and 1939.

An advertising man at heart, Mr. Hill reputedly spent more money advertising a single product than anyone in history—around $200,000,000 by 1944. In a single year the advertising outlay was $20,000,000.

"As the result of my years of experience in advertising I sincerely believe it to be a very great yet a very simple science," he once said. "Reduced to its simplest terms, advertising is really nothing but 'salesmanship-in-print' and during these more recent years, with the introduction of the radio, 'salesmanship-in-person' as well."

N-W AIRLINES ASKS TO CHOP ALASKA FARES

Company Will Concentrate on "Circle Tours" for Air Tourists

SEATTLE, Sept. 13.—Seeking to bring an increased flow of air tourists through Seattle via Alaska, Northwest Airlines will apply to the Civil Aeronautics Board for reductions in fares for routes affecting Seattle, W. R. England, Seattle traffic manager, reported last night.

"We are asking to reduce our Alaskan fares to a level comparable to airline fares within the continental United States," England said.

The new schedule would cut one-way fares between Seattle and Anchorage from $126 to $120, and round trip faces from $252 to $216.

England said the company would concentrate on "circle tours" for passengers flying to Alaska from its eastern stations. Under this plan passengers flying to Anchorage through Edmonton and Twin Cities would be encouraged to return via Seattle.

He said the Douglas DC-4 transports not being used by Northwest on its Alaska runs would be replaced by faster Boeing Stratocruisers, probably about the middle of 1947.

STOCK QUOTATIONS

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—Closing quotation of Alaska Juneau mine stock today is 6½, American Can 88½, Anaconda 38¼, Curtiss-Wright 6¼, International Harvester 80½, Kennecott 45⅝, New York Central 17½, Northern Pacific 20⅜, U. S. Steel 72⅝, Pound $4.03½.

Sales today were 1,710,000 shares.

Dow, Jones averages today are as follows: industrials 173.39, rails 51.03, utilities 35.66.

Moves toward early settlement of the maritime and New York truck strikes today eliminated pressure from the stock market and prices moved up fractions to more than 2 points on curtailed volume.

At the highest, the averages had wiped out about half the losses suffered early in the week. Today's rise was much less vigorous than the one of Wednesday when the market made its best gain in nearly 6 years.

The reduction in volume was considered a healthy indication for the market in that it reflected, temporarily at least, an end of the recent liquidation.

American Telephone, an outstanding strong spot, gained nearly 4 points. Leading steels gained a point or more. Chrysler oiled the motors up with a gain of nearly 2 points and General Motors gained one. Rails advanced with gains of a point or more in Santa Fe, Union Pacific and Norfolk & Western. Utilities were active with prices higher. American and Foreign Power preferred spurted 5 points.

Three Alaskans on Board of Governors Amer. Mining Congress

DENVER, Sept. 13.—The new Board of Governors of the American Mining Congress' Western Division includes the following district representatives:

Washington——Wray D. Farmin, Spokane; Fred Wagner, Republic; G. H. Waterman, Seattle.

Alaska—P. R. Bradley, San Francisco; Roy B. Earling, Fairbanks; Al Anderson, Fairbanks.

DEPUTY RETURNS

Deputy U. S. Marshal Syd Thompson returned here yesterday by PAA after escorting prisoners to the States.

FISH HEARING SCHEDULED IN SENATE ROOM

Frank W. Hynes, Regional Director, Fish and Wildlife Service, announced today that the Senate Chamber, in the Federal and Territorial Building here, has been selected as the place for the hearing on commercial fisheries regulations scheduled here for September 20.

The hearing here will be one of a series conducted in all principal fishing centers of Alaska to afford opportunity to fishermen, packers and others interested in commercial fishing in Alaska waters to express their views and be heard upon proposed changes in the regulations for the following season.

CHINESE MESS IS STILL JUST THAT

NANKING, Sept. 13. — General Marshall and the Chinese Government today were reported cool toward a Communist request that the U. S. Special Envoy reconvene his committee to attempt to work out a truce in China's increasingly bitter civil strife.

Marshall was reported to have informed the Communists, through U. S. Ambassador Stuart, that he is unenthusiastic because of the committee's inability in the past to restore peace. The committee is made up of Marshall, Communist Chou En-lai and Government representative Gen. Hsu Yung-chang

Both Stuart and Marshall extended anew the Government suggestion that the Communists help frame a coalition state and council and allow the committee of three concurrently to consider ways of halting the conflict. The Reds consistently have declined to negotiate unless Chiang promised to order a nation-wide armistice as soon as an agreement was reached.

HENHOUSE BEDLAM

CHESTER, Ill.—Miss Marie Marlen got out of bed and went to her chicken house to find out the reason for the clucking and crowing in the middle of the night.

The 85 year old woman found a full grown oppossum killing one of her chickens. She grabbed the marauder by the neck and chopped off its head.

Then she dressed the slain chicken and went back to bed.

MEAT, HOUSE PICTURE NOT VERY PRETTY

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS)

Meat is the scarcest food item in the nation's cupboard; hundreds of thousands of workers are unemployed in strike-hit cities, and the housing shortage has reached critical proportions in many communities.

These facts were disclosed today in a nation-wide survey conducted by the Associated Press.

Samplings of conditions in cities from coast to coast also showed that the family larder was short of sugar, soaps, fats and oils.

In the housing field, public housing authorities said they had long waiting lists from applicants for practically non-existing living quarters and that apartments were "impossible to find" in some places.

This is how the situation stacked up in the various cities before the end of the AFL maritime strike on the West Coast and before the start of the nation-wide strike of the CIO National Maritime Union.

SEATTLE— Strikes, three, involving 2,750 persons. Unemployment: State agency figures show 60,000 out of work in the entire state; Housing: Public housing authority director said that body has had a steady list of 2,400 applicants for project homes each month this year.

PORTLAND, Ore.—Strikes: Maritime, affecting possibly 5,000 persons. Unemployment: USES estimated 17,000 jobless. Foods: Pork, lard and honey scarcest items. Housing: Scarce, with apartments "almost impossible to find."

Speeding Auto Hurtles Into Lake; 3 Dead

BELLINGHAM, Wash., Sept. 13.—A speeding automobile hurtled into Lake Samish, drowning three Navy sailors last night, but three others were hurled free or kicked their way out of the car and swam to shore.

The dead: W. B. Cabe, 26, driver, stationed at Ault Field, Whidby Island, Wash.; J. L. Parker, 19, USS Lexington, Bremerton, and K. L. Yill, 18, USS Lexington.

Hospitalized here for severe cuts and shock were C. B. Parker, USS Lexington, J. L. Neil, 22, Ault Field, and F. H. Paulson, 21, Ault Field.

The Ault Field sailors had picked up the three from the Lexington a short time before and one said the car would do 100 miles an hour, one of the survivors said. The speedometer registered "93 miles" when it went out of control, turned over and plunged into the lake, about 30 feet deep at the point.

Pest to Cut Down Husky Grid Squad

SEATTLE, Sept. 13.—After today's football practice, Coach Ralph (Pest) Welch expects to have his bulky University of Washington down to workable proportions of 50 to 60 players. The balance of the large squad will be relegated to the "B" squad, which will have a schedule of its own and from which a promising player will have a chance to graduate back to the varsity squad.

Welch had his punters concentrating on their specialty yesterday as he sought a stand-out performer for the job against St. Mary's two weeks from tomorrow. On the kicking assignment Welch had Alf Hemstad, Dick Ottele, Larry Hatch, Marshall Dallas and Fred Olson, with Hemstad and Olson holding an edge.

Argentina is the second largest South American country in both area and population.

AUSTRALIA OUTSPOKEN YET AGAIN

Security Council Termed Unfit to Rule Trieste–USSR Bites Finland

PARIS, Sept. 13.—An Australian delegate to the peace conference said today the United Nations Security council was in disrepute through arbitrary use of the veto power, and should not be permitted to govern the proposed free territory of Trieste.

"The use of the veto power in the security council has been arbitrary, irresponsible and dictatorial, and has brought the council into disrepute throughout the world," said Col. W. R. Hodgson, who has served as a delegate to the council.

"It would make the Trieste port question a threat to world peace."

To put the Trieste question into the hand of the security council as suggested by the four-power foreign ministers council, "would insure making the plan unworkable," Hodgson argued. He said Trieste should be governed by a council representing the United States, Great Britain, Soviet Russia, France and three other nations.

Two of the 21-nation peace conference's five political and territorial commissions—for Finland and for Rumania—completed their work yesterday, in the race to meet a newly established Oct. 5 deadline for drafting peace treaties for Bulgaria, Finland, Hungary, Italy and Rumania; the military commission also wound up its work on the Rumanian pact.

This means that the future Finland and the future Rumania have been outlined, with Russia getting Petsamo Province and Finland's only outlet to the Arctic Ocean; and Rumania losing Bessarabia to Russia and Southern Dobruja to Bulgaria, but getting back Transylvania from Hungary; the Balkan changes under a 1940 Vienna mapping job by the Axis partners.

TWO OTTOMAN BANKS RAIDED IN PALESTINE

JAFFA, Palestine, Sept. 13.—At least four persons were killed and four injured today when two armed bands, believed by police to be members of the Jewish Stern gang, raided the Ottoman banks in Tel Aviv and Jaffa, escaping with $6,000 from Tel Aviv.

Twelve of the 15 attackers in the Arab city of Jaffa were apprehended and all the $2,000 taken here was recovered from the arrested Jews. All the casualties were in Jaffa.

Both Tel Aviv and Jaffa were placed under rigid curfew for an indefinite period after the daring daylight robberies.

The simultaneous raids were staged shortly before noon. Diversionary incidents at Jaffa, synchronized with the attacks, included the firing of an oil drum in the street to block traffic, on exchange of fire with police at a nearby substation and a machine gun volley from a moving automobile against an Arab crowd.

Police said casualties included one Arab police officer, two Arab civilians and one Jewish raider killed, and three arrested Jews wounded. An eyewitness said James Annett, English bank manager, also was shot through the leg.

ELWIN WRIGHT LEAVING SOON FOR U. WASHINGTON

Elwin Wright, 1946 graduate of the Juneau High School, will leave on the Princess Norah next Tuesday for Seattle where he will enter his first year at the University of Washington.

LT. HAWKINS HERE

Lt. John Hawkins, from Whittier, visited here yesterday with Capt. L. W. Bucy, Officer-in-Charge of the Juneau ACS. Hawkins is to be the new Officer-in-Charge of the Ketchikan Signal Corps.

AFTER 'GHOST' ROCKET HIT PLANE

WRECKAGE OF A SWEDISH military reconnaissance plane is shown on the ground near Vaggeryd, Sweden, after it had collided head on with one of the mysterious rockets which have been reported seen in that area. Three flyers were instantly killed in the crash. *(International Radiophoto)*

Legion Past Commander Atherton Declares His Support for Statehood

KETCHIKAN, Sept. 13.—National Vice Commander H. Dudle Swim told the Alaska American Legion convention yesterday peace will not remain permanent while part of the world is "enslaved under a dictatorship."

The iron boundaries around Russia must be torn down so that its people can intermingle with the rest of the world and then "we can throw diplomacy out of the window," the Twin Falls, Ida., Legionnaire said.

"Russia does not dare to let its people travel through the world to see how well we live, or how much we have," he commented.

Past National Commander Warren Atherton, Stockton, California, starting a 10-day tour of Alaska to report to the forthcoming Legion convention at San Francisco, called Alaska "one of America's defensive frontiers" in another address.

He said he was working to aid the cause of Alaska statehood. He is accompanied by Col. Perry Brown of Beaumont, Texas.

Delegates from all over Alaska are attending the convention. The morning opening was postponed until noon awaiting the arrival of plane loads of delegates.

LONDON'S FLAT SQUATTERS SET FOR LONG STAY

Near Approach to Violence as Bobbies Ride Herd on Sympathiezrs

LONDON, Sept. 13.—London's "squatter" campaign took on the appearance of an endurance contest between police and hundreds of invaders of vacant London luxury flats today as the government drive to quell the Communist-inspired movement gathered momentume after a slow start.

The situation quieted during the night after the nearest approach to violence in the five-days-old squatter invasion, when mounted police herded 2,000 squatter sympathizers off the street near one occupied building without injury to anyone.

The incident took place in front of Abbey Lodge in St. John's Wood, where approximately 1,500 squatters have taken over unoccupied apartments which normally rent for 20 to 24 pounds ($80 to $96) per week.

Both water and lights were cut off in the building and squatters hung out pleading signs from the windows reading "we want water," "we want bedding," "do something about us."

In the Duchess of Bedford House, where the invasion started, squatters set up a "food office" on the ground floor to exchange bread units for points for other rationed foods.

POLICE SLAYER EXECUTED; ON FRIDAY, 13TH

SALEM, Ore., Sept. 13.—Kenneth William Bailey, 27, was executed in the state's lethal gas chamber today—Friday the thirteenth—for the slaying of an Oregon State policeman.

Bailey went silently in the gas chamber, without making a statement. The gas pellets were dropped into the room at 8:34 a. m., PST, and he was pronounced dead at 8:37.

State Police Sergeant T. R. Chambers was killed April 29, 1945, in a gun battle at an Ontario, Ore., schoolhouse, where he and another officer had cornered two fugitives, Bailey and Robert Duffy.

Duffy was also killed in the battle. The officers had gone in pursuit of the men after they were seen in a stolen car.

Tom Sunkel Sets Record, Am. League

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Sept. 13.—Tom Sunkel, 35-year-old St. Paul southpaw, pitched what is believed to be the first no-hit, no-run game in the history of the American Association baseball playoffs when he set down the Louisville Colonels last night, 3 to 0.

Sunkel's masterpiece under the lights gave St. Paul its first win in the semi-final round of the Shaughnessy playoffs. Louisville won the first two games.

Salmon Caught at Cordova Yesterday On L. A. Market Today

CORDOVA, Sept. 13.—Silver salmon, fresh-caught on the Copper River Flats, left here at 4:10 p. m. yesterday and arrived on the Los Angeles market at 7 a. m., today, as the first venture by a former army colonel, L. V. Castner, who has established the American Lines for speedy air shipment of the products of Alaska and the States. Yesterday's fish shipment totalled 5,080 pounds.

CIO MARINE UNIONS TAKE STRIKE TURN

Crippling Ship Tie-up Prolonged After AFL Demands Are Met

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—A turnabout in the nationwide maritime dispute developed today as CIO unionists began walking out on strike and AFL seafaring men pledged their support.

CIO maritime unions went on strike today to enforce demands that they be granted the wage concessions which the government yesterday authorized for the AFL unions.

The CIO strike action prolonged the crippling shipping tie-up which began last week when the Seafarer's International Union and the Sailors Union of the Pacific, both AFL, walked out in protest against the wage stabilization board's refusal to approve wage increases $6 to $10 a month higher than those won by the CIO last June.

The Board, in effect, was overruled late yesterday by Reconversion Director John R. Steelman, who amended wage stabilization rules to permit the maritime commission to pay wage scales on government-owned ships equal to those in effect on a substantial portion of privately owned ships.

CIO Hike Indicated

Hope that the new tieup will be shortlived came this morning from Washington. The Labor Relations Director for the maritime commission, J. Godfrey Butler, announced that he thought the commission would extend to the CIO the same increases as were granted to the AFL.

The CIO walkout became unanimous at noon today when East Coast maritime workers joined their fellow members on the West Coast who struck at midnight.

It appeared that the CIO National Maritime Union and the other sea-going unionists affiliated with the committee for maritime unity could gain their higher pay only after negotiating new contracts with the operators to supercede those signed just before their strike of last June was to have started.

AWAITS DEVELOPMENTS

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—The maritime commission met for two hours today but deferred action on the question of granting striking CIO seamen the same wage increases which ended the nine-day walkout of AFL maritime unions.

A spokesman said after the meeting that the commission was "awaiting developments."

It was indicated that the commission was waiting to see whether the CIO unions and East Coast ship operators would negotiate agreements matching the AFL wage scale.

GREEN BLASTS WSB

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—The

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NEW STRIKE CONFLICT AT SEATTLE NOW

SEATTLE, Sept. 13.—The Nation-Maritime Union (CIO) port agent, Jack Smith, early today dispatched 600 men to picket ships manned by CIO crews here, in support of a demand for "uniformity of pay for all the industry, at the highest prevailing scale."

The Independent Union of Marine Firemen also was to start picketing in behalf of substantially the same wage demands as those approved yesterday to end the strike of the AFL Sailors Union of the Pacific.

Smith said the AFL seamen would be asker for "the same support we gave them."

The CIO Maritime leaders here said that Puget Sound lumber mill docks, where struck ships are berthed, would be picketed but that efforts would be made to work out with AFL lumber and sawmill workers arrangements to continue mill operations.